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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1764.
 - \$828 for 46 total claims over 20.
 - \$936 for 12 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
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- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2584.

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Re: U.S. Application No. 09/523,102
Filed: March 10, 2000
Title: Methods and Compositions for Treating and
Preventing Retinal Neovascularization
Inventors: Si *et al.*
Atty. Docket: 13587(03654. 255.US00)

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action in the above captioned application by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
3. an executed Declaration;
4. a Change of Correspondence Address, form PTO/SB/122(10-22);
5. check number 200337 in the amount of \$2584 covering the \$690 dollars to complete the basic filing fee, \$1764 in additional claim fees and the \$130 fee for filing a declaration later than the date of the application, and
6. a return post card.

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Respectfully submitted,



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In re application of: Si *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/523,102

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Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application

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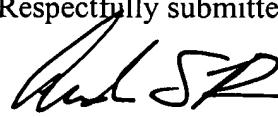
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated March 09, 2001 applicants submit an executed declaration and fees in the amount of \$2584. Applicants respectfully submit that the application is complete upon receipt of these materials.

Should any questions regarding this application arise, the Examiner is encouraged to contact Applicant's undersigned representative at 202-942-5000.

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